is same irrespective of the population disparities;

(b) if so, whether the Government propose to increase or decrease the quota according to the popuiation;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF WELFARE (SHRI SITARAM KESRI): (a) No Sir.

(b) to (d). In view of the reply given against (a) above, question does not arise.

[*English*]

Target for Setting up of Posts and Telegraph Offices in Andhra Pradesh

1665. SHRI M.V.V.S. MURTHY: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the target fixed for setting up of Posts and Telegraph Offices in Visakhapatnam, Vizianagram and Srikakulam districts in Andhra Pradesh for the year 1990-91;

(b) whether the target was achieved;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) the target fixed for the year 1991-92 in Andhra Pradesh district-wise?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU):

Post Offices

(a) The target fixed for opening of Post offices for the year 1990-91 is as under:-

Name of District		*No. of Post offices*
1.	Vishakhapatnam	2
2.	Vizianagaram	2
3.	Srikalakulam	1

Telegraph Offices

No target for opening of Telegraph offices in Visakhapatnam, Vizinagaram and Srikalakulam was fixed.

Post offices

(b) and (c). One extra departmental branch post office in distt. Vishakhapatnam was sanctioned as no other justified proposal was received for these districts during the year 1990-91.

Telegraph Offices:

(b) and (c). In view of reply in (a) question does not arise.

(d) The information is furnished in the attached Statement.

STATEMENT

The district-wise targets for opening of post offices and telegraph offices in Andhra Pradesh

Sl. No.	*District*	*Post Offices*	*Telegraph offices*
1.	Adilabad	1	1
2.	Anantapur	5	3

Sl. No.	*District*	*Post Offices*	*Telegraph offices*
3.	Chittor	2	-
4.	Cudapah	3	-
5.	East Godavari	5	2
6.	Guntur	2	1
7.	Hyderabad	4	1
8.	Karim Nagar	5	-
9.	Khammam	3	2
10.	Krishna	-	3
11.	Kurnool	2	2
12.	Mehboob Nagar	1	-
13.	Madak	2	-
14.	Nalgonda	1	1
15.	Nizambad	2	1
16.	Prakasam	2	-
17.	Srikakulam	3	1
18.	Vishakhapatnam	5	-
19.	Warangal	3	-
20.	West Godavari	2	-
21.	Nellore	3	-
22.	Vizianagaram	4	-
23.	Ranga Reddy	2	-